

SN: 10/723, 475

PATENT
Attorney Docket No.: CIT1510-5

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Lyapina et al.
Parent Serial No. ~~10/046,961~~
Parent Filing Date January 14, 2002
Serial No.: Not Yet Assigned
Filed: November 25, 2003
Title: REGULATION OF TARGET PROTEIN ACTIVITY THROUGH
MODIFIER PROTEINS

Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned
Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

Mail Stop PATENT APPLICATION
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

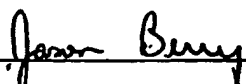
PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

In connection with the Divisional application filed herewith, entry of the amendments and consideration of the application in view thereof are respectfully requested.

Fee purpose only

02/04/2005 RHARMON 00000002 501355 10723475
01 FC:2202 90.00 DA

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.10 "EXPRESS MAIL" Mailing Label Number: EV 318 740 059 US Date of Deposit: November 25, 2003	
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" with sufficient postage on the date indicated above and is addressed to: Mail Stop PATENT APPLICATION, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.	
JASON BERRY (Name of Person Mailing Paper)	
(Signature) 	November 25, 2003 (Date)

Gray Cary\GT6375443.1
104662-990000

In re Application of:
Lyapina et al.
Application No.: Not Yet Assigned
Filed: November 25, 2003
Page 8

PATENT
Attorney Docket No.: CIT1510-5

II. REMARKS


The application filed herewith is a Divisional of U.S. Serial No. 10/046,961 filed January 14, 2002. Upon entry of the present amendment, claims 11 to 34 will be pending.

The amendments to the specification merely update the priority information and are supported by the claims as originally filed; therefore, they do not add new matter.

The Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned representative if there are any questions relating to this application. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees associated with the filing submitted herewith, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 50-1355.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: November 25, 2003



Lisa A. Haile, J.D., Ph.D.
Reg. No. 38,347
Telephone: (858) 677-1456
Facsimile: (858) 677-1465

USPTO Customer Number 28213
GRAY CARY WARE & FREIDENRICH LLP
4365 Executive Drive, Suite 1100
San Diego, California 92121-2133